



The Newark Black Film Festival Selection Committee; The Institute on Ethnicity, Culture and the Modern Experience/Rutgers; and Bank of America invite you to a special Reception and Screening of

## ***Half of a Yellow Sun***

Guest Speaker

***Biyi Bandele***

Filmmaker

Wednesday, June 24, 2015

5:30 pm—Reception

Exhibitions on view:

*Royals & Regalia: Inside the Palaces of Nigeria's Monarchs* and *Hassan Hajjaj: My Rock Stars*

7:00 pm—Screening & Discussion


Newark Museum

49 Washington Street in Newark's Downtown/Arts District

Kindly RSVP by June 19 for Reception only to 973.596.6550 or [rsvp@newarkmuseum.org](mailto:rsvp@newarkmuseum.org)

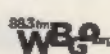
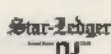
*This invitation admits two adults for reception.*

*Seating for film screening is on a first-come basis. On-site parking available for a fee.*

The Newark Black Film Festival is made possible by **Bank of America** 

The Festival is organized by the Newark Museum.

Co-presenters include The Newark Public Library; New Jersey Institute of Technology; Institute on Ethnicity, Culture, and the Modern Experience/Rutgers /Newark; and CityPlex 12 Newark.



Visit [newarkmuseum.org](http://newarkmuseum.org) for the complete NBFF schedule and other Museum events & activities.



# Bank of America newark black film festival

PRODUCED BY  
**NEWARK  
MUSEUM**

41 years of defining the  
independent film experience

FREE ADMISSION

06.24 - 07.29.2015

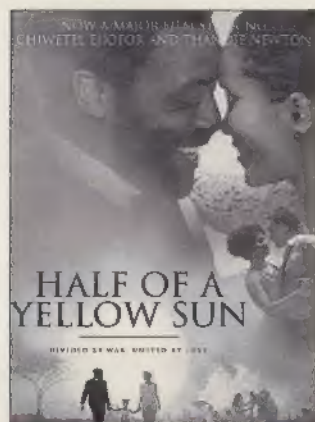
## ADULT CINEMA (Wednesdays)

June 24, 7 pm — Newark Museum

BOOK TO FILM: CHIMAMANDA  
NGOZI ADICHIE'S

**Half of a Yellow Sun**

Speaker: Biyi Bandele



### Opening Reception

**5:30 pm:** Opening Reception at  
the Newark Museum and viewing  
of *Royals & Regalia: Inside the  
Palaces of Nigeria's Monarchs* and  
*Hassan Hajjaj: My Rock Stars*.

RSVP to 973.596.6550 or  
[rsvp@newarkmuseum.org](mailto:rsvp@newarkmuseum.org)

July 1, 7 pm — Newark Museum

JUSTICE? THE COMPLICATED WORLD  
OF CRIME AND MENTAL ILLNESS

**Clipped Wings, They Do Fly**

Speaker: William Michael Barbee



July 8, 7 pm — Newark Museum

SISTERS AND BROTHERS BEHIND THE  
CAMERA

**Through a Lens Darkly:  
Black Photographers and  
the Emergence of a People**

Speakers: Thomas Allen Harris &  
Deborah Willis



**5:30 pm:** View Newark Museum's  
current exhibitions.

July 15, 7 pm — Newark Museum

ART AND REDEMPTION

**Love Always, Eartha**

Speaker: Dierdra McDowell

July 22, 7 pm — Newark Museum

HOLA CUBA!

**Roots of My Heart**

Speakers: Yesenia Selier,  
Ben Jones & Gregory Bryant

July 29, 7 pm — New Jersey

Institute of Technology

ART AND TRANSCENDENCE

**Alice Walker: Beauty in Truth**

Speakers: Pratibha Parmar &  
Shaheen Haq

Visit [newarkmuseum.org](http://newarkmuseum.org) for film  
details, speakers, hosts and  
venue updates.

## YOUTH CINEMA (Mondays & Wednesdays)

Monday, July 6, 10:30 am

The Newark Public Library

Wednesday, July 8, 1 pm

Newark Museum

**Not So Fast, Songololo; Elizabeth's  
Doll; Garrett's Gift; Obara & The  
Merchants.** Ages 4-12, 47 mins.

Monday, July 13, 10:30 am

The Newark Public Library

Wednesday, July 15, 1 pm

Newark Museum

Ages 4-12, 55 mins.

**Burkina Faso: The Tyrant and the  
Child; Chato and the Party Animals;  
Cliques, Phonies &  
Other Baloney**



*Kirikou and the Sorceress*

Monday, July 20, 10:30 am

The Newark Public Library

Wednesday, July 22, 1 pm

Newark Museum

**Ellington is Not a Street; The Frog  
Prince; Koi & the Kola Nuts.**  
Ages 4-13, 78 mins.

Monday, July 27, 10:30 am

The Newark Public Library

Wednesday, July 29, 1 pm

Newark Museum

**Happy to Be Nappy & Other Stories  
of Me; Truth Law Thrills  
a Nation.** Rated G, 60 mins.

Wednesday, August 5, 1 pm

Newark Museum

**Robots.** Rated G, 91 mins.

Wednesday, August 12, 1 pm

Newark Museum

**Kirikou and the Sorceress**  
Rated G, 70 mins.

### Screening Locations

• Newark Museum

973.596.6550

• New Jersey Institute of Technology

973.596.3000

• The Newark Public Library

973.733.7797

Newark Black Film Festival made possible by

**Bank of America**

Official Airline  
**UNITED**



**NEWARK  
MUSEUM**

[newarkmuseum.org](http://newarkmuseum.org)

49 Washington St. Newark, New Jersey  
973.596.6550 711 711

On-site Museum parking available for a fee.